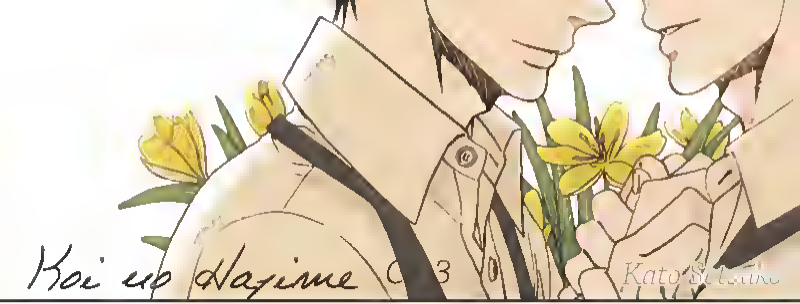

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Budding Love

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First Part

CLOSED
WOULD YOU DO ME THE FAVOR OF PASSING THIS ON TO YOSHIMASA-SAN?
THESE ARE THE MAME DAIFUKU THAT YOSHIMASA-SAN LIKES
I IMAGINE HE HASN'T HAD A CHANCE TO ENJOY THEM IN A WHILE
I DON'T MIND GIVING IT TO HIM,
BUT I DON'T THINK HE'LL BE VERY HAPPY WITH IT

T/N: mame daifuku is a Japanese confection of sweet bean paste filling wrapped in mochi.

I BEG TO DIFFER
YOSHIMASA-SAN ALWAYS REQUESTS THE MAME DAIFUKU FROM THIS STORE SPECIFICALLY
THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT
HE'S TRYING TO MAKE IT ON HIS OWN, ISN'T HE?
HE MAY NOT WELCOME UNSOLICITED INTERFERENCES IN HIS CURRENT LIFESTYLE
TSUTSUJI YOSHIMASA
HE'S HONEST HARD-WORKING AND THE CUSTOMERS LOVE HIM
HE'S ALSO THE SON OF AN EXCEPTIONALLY WEALTHY FAMILY
RECENTLY
A NEW PART-TIME WORKER JOINED OUR WAIT STAFF

OPPOSED TSUTSUI-KUN'S DECISION TO TAKE THIS JOB IN ORDER TO LEAVE HOME AND LIVE ON HIS OWN
THIS IS FUJIKI-SAN THE MAN WHO CARED FOR HIM FOR 19 YEARS AND
I DON'T KNOW HIS FIRST NAME
I SUPPOSE YOU'RE RIGHT
HEY NOT SO FAST
CRUMPLE
ARE MAME DAIFUKU
A FAVORITE OF YOURS?
WHY DON'T YOU LET ME TAKE THESE OFF YOUR HANDS
LIFT
SINCE YOU ALREADY CAME ALL THIS WAY

I HAVE AN INSATIABLE SWEET TOOTH
DON'T WORRY
I'LL LET TSUTSUI-KUN KNOW THAT YOU'RE WORRIED ABOUT HOW HE'S DOING
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
IS THAT
A GOOD IDEA?
.....

WOULDN'T...
HE SEE THAT AS AN INTERFERENCE IN HIS CURRENT LIFESTYLE?
POOR GUY
HE SEEMS TO BE TAKING IT PRETTY HARD.
I GUESS IT'S ONLY NATURAL
TO FEEL AT A LOSS
AFTER WATCHING OVER SOMEONE FOR SO MANY YEARS.

ALL RIGHT, HOW ABOUT THIS...
ON SPECIFIC DAYS EVERY WEEK,
I'LL REPORT IN ON HOW TSUTSUI-KUN IS DOING
UNLESS,
SOMETHING PARTICULARLY SIGNIFICANT HAPPENS THEN I'LL TELL YOU AS SOON AS IT OCCURS
ANY MESSAGES OR THINGS THAT YOU ABSOLUTELY NEED TSUTSUI-KUN TO GET CAN GO THROUGH ME
I'LL PASS THEM ON WITHOUT MAKING A BIG DEAL OF IT
...OH.

WH..T DO YOU S..Y?
EXCEPT FOR THE TR..TS TOO. Y WHICH I'M KEEPING..
I...
..DON'T UNDERSTAND. WHY WOULD YOU OFFER...
TO GO TO SUCH LENGTHS?

GOOD QUESTION, I HADN'T GIVEN IT MUCH THOUGHT
WELL...
I GUESS BECAUSE I LIKE YOU,
FUJIKI-SAN
YOU'RE SERIOUS DEDICATED
AND I CAN TELL YOU DO THINGS LIKE THIS BECAUSE YOU HONESTLY CARE FOR TSUTSUI-KUN

...AH
THEN UM
I SHALL LEAVE YOU MY CONTACT INFORMA-TION
FUJIKI-SAN IS SERIOUS -E. ARNEST,

IS IT READ "HIROTSUNA"?
YOUR FIRST NAME
IT DOESN'T SUIT ME, I KNOW
I'VE BEEN TOLD MANY TIMES.
AND ADORABLE.
...OK. Y. I HAVE IT SAVED.

HAVE YOU REALLY?
I THINK IT GIVES OFF A STALWART FEELING THAT SUITS YOU VERY WELL.
BOW
PLEASE TAKE GOOD CARE OF YOSHIMASA-SAN
TAKE MY LEAVE OF YOU NOW
I MUST
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WASN'T THAT TSU-TSUI'S...?
NAITOU-KUN?
I DIDN'T KNOW YOUR SHIFT WAS TODAY
I SWITCHED WITH SHIMIZU
BUT NEVERMIND THAT
BOSS
DID HE COME TO MAKE HIM QUIT?
DID SOMETHING HAPPEN TO TSUTSUI?
AH
YEAH
NO, NOT AT ALL
HE JUST WANTED TO SEE HOW TSUTSUI-KUN WAS DOING
BUT LET'S NOT TELL TSUTSUI-KUN THAT, ALL RIGHT?

WHAT?!
THE SAME KIND OF RELATIONSHIP YOU HAVE WITH TSUTSUI-KUN
OR
IT WILL BE
MAYBE
JUST KIDDING
BOSS
WHAT KIND OF RELATIONSHIP DO YOU HAVE WITH THAT PERSON?
RELA-TION-SHIP
sigh

He wrapped up work uneventfully
Thank you for taking the time t
inform me in spite of your b
schedule. I look forward
tomorrow's status as w
TRRRRR
HIS REPLY IS LONGER THAN MY REPORT
TRRRRR
HE HAD A VERY SERIOUS EXPRESSION ON. IS HE COMPOSED HIS RESPONSE.
I GET

bzzzt
bzzzt
bzzzt
As usual, he arrived early, had several pleasant conversations with the customers, and ended his shift without a problem.
On a separate topic, I've been thinking of changing up the menu. If you have any ideas, I would love to hear them.
Send
IS SOMETHING WRONG?
NO, NOTHING.

TRRRR
TRRRR
THANKS FOR THE HARD WORK...
OH?
BOSS, I'M HEADING OUT!
CLICK
I hope your day went well
Thank you for providing me with another update today
I do not know much about cooking myself so I will consult the head chef and get back to you
Send

YES,
I APOLOGIZE FOR THE INCONVENIENCE. I KNOW I ASKED TO WORK FEWER DAYS BEFORE...
ARE YOU SURE YOU WANT TO PICK UP ADDITIONAL SHIFTS?
THANK YOU FOR ACCOMMO-DATING ME
REALLY?
I WAS JUST THINKING I'D HAVE TO PUT UP A HELP WANTED SIGN
YOU'D BE DOING ME A FAVOR

ALSO...
NAITOU AND I HAVE DECIDED TO MOVE IN TOGETHER.
YES.
YOU'RE GETTING USED TO YOUR NEW SITUATION?
OH YEAH?
FLAP
I'M PLANNING TO TELL THEM AFTER WE'VE SUCCESSFULLY RENTED A PLACE AND THE DUST HAS SETTLED A BIT
NOT YET
HAVE YOU TOLD YOUR FAMILY?
I WANT TO SHOW THEM THAT I'M DOING OKAY LIVING ON MY OWN
I SEE.
THIS IS PROBABLY SOMETHING I SHOULD KEEP TO MYSELF

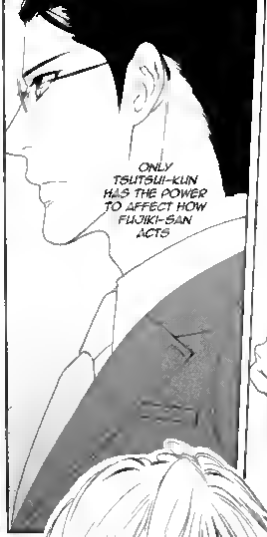
...YOU'RE A LUCKY GUY, TSUTSUI-KUN
I HOPE IT WON'T BE A NEGATIVE ONE

I WOULDN'T HAVE GUESSED
DO YOU WANT TO LIVE WITH SOMEONE, TOO BOSS?

HM?
I GUESS THAT'S WHAT YOU'D THINK...
OH, RIGHT...
...!

I WONDER WHAT REACTION THAT PERSON WILL HAVE WHEN HE HEARS THE NEWS...

BUT I.


ONLY TSUTSUI-KUN HAS THE POWER TO AFFECT HOW FUJIKI-SAN ACTS

?
?
EVERYTHING TSUTSUI-KUN DOES
TIES BACK THAT MAN

smile

BOSS?
I'LL LEAVE THE REST OF THE NAPKINS TO YOU
AH, OF COURSE

WELL THAT S PROBLEM ATIC
WHAT FUJIKI-SAN AND I HAVE...
ISN'T LIKE THAT
WELCOME!
I LL BE WITH YOU IN JUST A MOMENT
...OH.

I ASSUMED IT WOULDN'T BE A PROBLEM SINCE YOSHIMASA-SAN HAS THE DAY OFF TODAY
I APOLOGIZE FOR NOT INFORMING YOU AHEAD OF TIME THAT I WAS COMING
clink
YOU'RE NOT HERE TO SEE HOW TSUTSUI-KUN IS DOING?

NO.
I CAME HERE TO SEE YOU, IWANARI-SAN
AND GIVE YOU THIS

YOU MENTIONED BEFORE THAT YOU LIKE SWEETS
YOSHIMASA-SAN IS THE ONLY ONE WHO EATS THESE KINDS OF THINGS
SO I HAD THESE LEFT OVER.
YOU CAME ALL THE WAY JUST FOR THIS?
...IS THAT ALL?
I'M AFRAID I'M ONLY RESIFTING THEM...
BUT I WANTED TO BRING SOMETHING TO SHOW MY THANKS.
SINCE I'M OBLIGED TO YOU EVERY DAY

?
I'M NOT—
WHAT AM I TRYING TO MAKE HIM SAY?
DO YOU HAVE SOME FREE TIME TONIGHT?
WOULD YOU LIKE TO STICK AROUND FOR A LITTLE LONGER?

CHOP
CHOP
DO YOU COOK HERE TOO, IWANARI-SAN?
I'M A LICENSED CHEF.
SO I HELP OUT IN THE KITCHEN WHEN WE'RE ESPECIALLY BUSY
I'M SURPRISED, THOUGH

SUR-PRIS-ED?
I THOUGHT YOU'D HAVE A STRICT CURFEW WORKING FOR SUCH A LARGE RESIDENCE,
BUT I GUESS THAT'S NOT THE CASE
WHEN I WAS LOOKING AFTER YOSHIMASA-SAN, I GENERALLY HAD TO BE BACK BY 8 PM,
BUT I DON'T REALLY HAVE ONE NOW

WHAT DO BUTLERS DO DAY-TO-DAY?
THE SAME THINGS A SECRETARY WOULD DO FOR THE MOST PART
INTER-ESTING

MY FAMILY HAS SERVED THE HOUSEHOLD SINCE MY GRANDFATHER'S GENERATION.
THOUGH MY GRANDFATHER IS RETIRED NOW
MY FATHER THOUGH MANAGES MOST OF THE HOUSEHOLD AFFAIRS
YOUR FATHER SERVES THE RESIDENCE TOO?
MY MOTHER ALSO WORKED
SO AS A CHILD MY FATHER WOULD OFTEN TAKE ME WITH HIM TO WORK
I PICKED UP THE JOB FROM WATCHING HIM.
AND IT WAS ONLY NATURAL FOR ME TO START WORKING FOR THE RESIDENCE AS WELL.

I NEVER DEVELOPED ANY HOBBIES OR INTERESTS OF MY OWN.
AND I THINK I'VE ENDED UP A VERY DULL PERSON AS A RESULT
THAT'S WHY
I CAN BE SO BULL-HEADED WHEN IT COMES TO YOSHIMASA-SAN.
WHEN I WAS ASSIGNED TO WATCH OVER YOSHIMASA-SAN.
IT WAS NECESSARY FOR ME TO BE ON HAND AT ALL TIMES. SO THAT'S ALL I DID EVERY DAY
EXTEND

WELL,
I THINK TSUTSUI-KUN HAS GROWN UP TO BE A GREAT KID
.....
THANK YOU FOR SAYING SO
I'M SORRY FOR KEEPING YOU HERE AFTER HOURS.
THANK YOU FOR THE FOOD.
PLEASE EAT UP.

I'M AFRAID I CAN ONLY OFFER VERY SIMPLE FARE
NO.
IT'S DELICIOUS.
YOU'LL HAVE MORE FREEDOM NOW THOUGH, WON'T YOU?
I NEVER EVEN USED TO LEAVE THE RESIDENCE GROUNDS MUCH.
I DON'T.
YOU PROBABLY DON'T EAT OUT MUCH, DO YOU?

YES, BUT EVEN IF I HAD THE FREEDOM...
I WOULDN'T KNOW WHAT TO DO WITH IT
IN THAT CASE,
WILL YOU CONSIDER TAKING THE TIME YOU USED TO GIVE TO TSUTSUI-KUN
AND SPENDING IT WITH ME INSTEAD?
?

WOULD YOU LIKE TO TRY...
GOING OUT WITH ME?